

REMARKS

Reconsideration is respectfully requested. Claims 1-6 are present in the application. Claims 1, 4, 5 and 6 are amended herein.

The abstract is objected to as being greater than 150 words. The abstract as amended herein is believed to be 149 words after amendment.

The claims are objected to because of punctuation reasons. The claims have been amended to address this, with attention to the points mentioned by the Examiner.

Claims 4-6 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph.

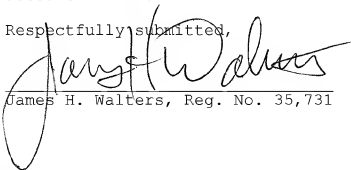
It is believed that the rejection is a result of the use of passive verbs in the claims, and amendments are made herein to put the claims into active form verbs and to amend to clarify in view of the Examiner's comments.

It is noted in the office action that the claims would be allowable if amended to overcome the points noted by the Examiner. In view of the amendments above, it is believed that the claims should be considered in allowable form. If there are further amendments or modifications that the Examiner would wish, please contact the applicant's attorney at 503-224-0115.

It is believed that no further fees are due with this filing or that the required fees are being submitted herewith. However,

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